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Senate No. SJR0135 By Rochelle

A RESOLUTION to honor Shelly Lorraine Couts, 1995 Salutatorian of Gordonsville High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Shelly Lorraine Couts is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as salutatorian of the 1995 class at Gordonsville High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Shelly has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in her laudable high school career, Shelly has maintained an exceptional grade point average, holding the highest average of her class during her freshman and sophomore years; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of her abilities, Shelly received the Math and Science awards for two years at Gordonsville; and

WHEREAS, an all-around student, Shelly has been active in a number of school organizations including the Beta Club, Science and Math Club, Outdoors Club, Spanish Club, FCA, and she served as secretary/treasurer of her sophomore class; and

WHEREAS, in addition to school work and extra-curricular activities, Shelly has played basketball and softball for two years and is active in several community organizations; and

WHEREAS, Shelly's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success as she pursues a degree in engineering; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Couts, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Shelly's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING,
That we hereby commend and honor Gordonsville High School salutatorian, Shelly Lorraine
Couts, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy
and successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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